



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: H. MURAD

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FOR TREATING
DERMATOLOGICAL DISORDERS

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AMENDMENT

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed September 9, 2002, Applicant submits the following amendments and remarks for entry and consideration during the examination of the above-identified application.

IN THE CLAIMS

A marked up version of the revised claims, showing insertions and deletions, is included in Appendix A. Please amend claims 4, 25, and 27 as follows:

4. (Amended) The dermatological agent of claim 1, wherein the mono- or poly- hydroxy acid is selected from the group consisting of glycolic acid, lactic acid, citric acid, salicylic acid, and mixtures thereof.

25. (Amended) The dermatological agent of claim 1, wherein the at least one fruit extract is selected from the group consisting of apricots, apples, pears, peaches, pineapples, papayas, pomegranates, cherries, kiwis, tangerines, grapes, oranges, and mixtures thereof.